

*RESOLUTION NUMBER 231*

*NIKE CORPORATION*

***WHEREAS*, the Members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis hold in high esteem those Show-Me State high school athletic programs which embody the highest standards of sportsmanship, teamwork, training, and determination throughout the competitive season; and**

***WHEREAS*, the employees of Nike Corporation in St. Louis have donated over ten thousand dollars in in-kind donations and bought Soldan International Studies High School Soccer team new uniforms; and**

***WHEREAS*, the generosity of Nike Corporation in St. Louis has helped the Soldan International Studies High School soccer team to garner an impressive 9-0 win-loss record during the 2007 season; and**

***WHEREAS*, Coach Hamid R. Azimiaraghi, and his players are grateful for this act of kindness.**

***NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED*, by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis, that we pause in our deliberations, to recognize the employees of Nike Corporation in St. Louis as outstanding citizens, and we further direct the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of this proceeding and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.**

**Introduced on the 8th day of November, 2007 by:**

**Honorable Frank Williamson, Alderman 26th Ward**

**Adopted this the 8th day of November, 2007 as attested by:**

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**Denise Watson-Wesley Coleman**  
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

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**Lewis E. Reed**  
President, Board of Aldermen

